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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 6, 2003 setting a one-month period for reply and containing a restriction requirement, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I and the single disclosed species of oestrone-3-sulphamate for search purposes.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a), a four-month extension of the term for reply, i.e., to up to and including October 6, 2003, is requested. Submitted herewith is a check for \$1450.00 in payment of the fee required therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment in fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.